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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re original application of:

Applicants : Sadeg M. Faris, Gregory J. Hamlin, and James P. Flannery  
Serial No. : 09/514,598  
Filed : February 28, 2000  
Title of Invention : GLOBALLY TIME-SYNCHRONIZED SYSTEMS, DEVICES AND METHODS  
Examiner : not yet assigned  
Group Art Unit : 2766  
Attorney Docket : 105-081USA000

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

SIR:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants request a 2 month extension of time in order to file the accompanying Response to Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 1, 2000. The extended response time to file the Response to Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application will expire on September 1, 2000.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$190.00 as well as any fee deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 16-1340. A duplicate of this document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 1, 2000

  
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